

around town

Allan White of Atlantic Avenue was elected vice-president of the New England Baptist Hospital corporation and chairman of the Executive Committee, at the hospital's 64th annual meeting. An active member of civic and business organizations, White is treasurer of Hendries Inc. and Hendries Refrigerated Storage Center, Inc. in Southborough.

Ellen Woolf of North Main Street, a member of the "Fu Ren Tuan", the ladies committee of the Museum of the China Trade on Adams St. in Milton, will deliver a series of three lectures for the Cohasset Community Center in April. The lectures will be on the history of the China Trade, porcelain, and the third will deal with silver, furniture, lacquer, spices and silk. A bus trip to the museum will complete the series. The Museum of the China Trade is dedicated solely to the history and artifacts of the Trade between China and the U.S. from 1730 and 1900. **Charles L. Smith Jr.** of Black Horse Lane has been elected a trustee by the Board of the Museum of the China Trade.

Ocean Spray Cranberry Co.

of Plymouth has purchased a steel and acrylic sculpture by **Dennis J. Kowal**. Mr. Kowal creates his pieces in his studio in Cohasset. The art work he designed for Ocean Spray reflects the sea theme chosen by the company for their new corporate headquarters on Plymouth's waterfront.

Children who are five years old on or before Dec. 31, 1979 are eligible for admission to kindergarten in Sept. 1979 and may be registered throughout the week of Jan. 29th. Registration may be made at the Joseph Osgood School between the hours of 9 and 3. Mailings indicating the dates of the orientation sessions and screening program will be made based largely on this registration. A birth certificate must be presented at the time of registration if not already recorded at the Town Hall.

The Friends of the Cohasset Library invite you to hear Robert Healy, Executive Editor of the Boston Globe, speak on "Decision-Making in the Press" Sunday, Jan. 28 at 4 p.m. at the Unitarian Parish House.

The Vedanta Centre on Beechwood Street, a non-sectarian sanctuary dedicated to



HELPING HAND — John Putnam gives his son some guidance on how to put away spaghetti at a recent kindergarteners luncheon at the Community Center. (Greg Derr photo)

all the world's religions will celebrate its 70th anniversary this month. At last Sunday's service the platform was shared by Srimata Gayatri Devi, the Centre's spiritual leader and Sister Elaine Huber, a Dominican nun. A buffet luncheon was served followed by a musical program of devotional songs written and sung by the Centre's own musicians accompanying themselves on guitar, flute and dulcimer. The Vedanta Temple, or Ananda Ashram, which has been in Cohasset since 1952, is dedicated to ecumenism, an integral part of Hinduism, which is Ananda Ashram's religious philosophy.

The first workshop series on Family Communications will begin on Monday, Feb. 12 at 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the new study hall at Cohasset High School. Coffee and doughnuts will be served. The title of this workshop is "What to do About Anger". Guiding the discussion will be William Spinks, Kathleen Ayers, Dr. Max Munro and Jann Bell of the Social Service League.

Ronnie Lawton, an artist with the South Shore Art Center is featured at the

the First Parish in Cohasset. The tribute read: "She not only lived a long life, she also lived a full, good, useful life of service to her family, her community and her church."

At the Deer Hill School, the 6th grade reading class was assigned to plan an original interpretation of words. Cathleen Buckley, who is a student of Mr. Becker, won first prize for her word zoo, drawing graphic representations of giraffe, pig, fish, snake, wall, gate, cage and people. Christopher Crowley, who is in Ms. Howe's class, chose a nature theme of tree, trunk, branch, leaves, breeze, air, bird and red, yellow and orange rainbow. He won second prize.

The U.S. Coast Guard is sponsoring a basic seamanship course at Hingham High School Jan. 24 for 12 weeks for all boaters. The course is free. For information call 749-4417 or 925-3355.

Nancy O'Tolle of Haystack Lane completed a real estate course on transitions in the field. Mrs. O'Tolle has been in the business for 20 years, involved in construction of homes, apartments, and condominiums. She handles designing, advertising, public relations, promotions, contracting and financing for the largest New England banking institutions and government agencies.



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